

**Supplementary Table 1:** Correlation values for the analysis of trap vs. prey size and the analysis prey item vs. water depth of the microsite.

	test	$R^2/r_{sp}$	p
Prey size vs. trap size	Linear model	-0.00054	0.33817
Prey variance vs. trap size	Kruskal Wallis	-	0.9682
Water depth vs. prey variance (Cladocera)	Spearman correlation	-0.8539	0.007
Water depth vs. prey variance (other taxa)	Spearman correlation	-0.034-0.531	0.1412-0.931